SENATE BUDGET AND TAXATION COMMITTEE COMMITTEE REPRINT

HOUSE BILL 589

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By: The Speaker (By Request - Administration)

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CHAPTER ____

1 AN ACT concerning

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Budget Reconciliation and Financing Act of 2021

FOR the purpose of <u>altering the source of funding for certain required appropriations</u>; altering the source of funding for certain required appropriations; requiring a certain percentage of certain raffle proceeds to be deposited into a certain fund; altering certain requirements for certain raffles to be held in conjunction with a certain football game; providing that the Maryland Stadium Authority is not required to submit certain reports for a certain fiscal year; expanding the authorized uses of certain funds; altering, for certain fiscal years, the total State operating fund per full-time equivalent student for certain community colleges that the Governor is required to request; altering, for certain fiscal years, the total State operating funds required to be distributed to certain community colleges; altering, for certain fiscal vears, the annual apportionment for each institution that qualifies for aid under the Joseph A. Sellinger Program; requiring certain scholarship funds to be deposited in a certain student financial assistance fund under certain circumstances; requiring certain funding to be used to disburse assistance under a certain loan assistance repayment program; altering the amount the Governor is authorized to appropriate to a certain fund in certain budgets; limiting the amount of a certain subsidy that a certain commission may receive each for a certain fiscal year; requiring that a certain subsidy for a certain program must be at least a certain amount each for a certain fiscal year and a certain amount for each following fiscal year; requiring the Governor or the Insurance Commissioner, under certain circumstances, to transfer certain funds collected from a certain assessment to a certain provider reimbursement program; expanding the purpose of a certain fund; reducing the

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

Italics indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.



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amount the State is required to appropriate in the State budget as a payment to a certain city for certain services; repealing a requirement that a certain appropriation to a certain city be increased each year by a certain amount; providing that, for certain fiscal years, a certain revenue estimate adjustment made by the Bureau of Revenue Estimates may not exceed certain amounts; requiring, for a certain fiscal year, the distribution of certain revenues to a certain fund to be used for a certain purpose; requiring the Governor to include in the budget bill submitted at a certain General Assembly session an appropriation equal to a certain amount to be used for a certain purpose; altering a requirement that for a certain fiscal year the Governor include in the budget bill a certain appropriation to the accumulation funds of the State Retirement and Pension System: expanding the uses of State bond premiums transferred to the Annuity Bond Fund; requiring local governments to be responsible for a certain percentage of payments owed to certain erroneously convicted individuals; increasing the percentage of certain costs for which each county and Baltimore City are responsible for reimbursing the State; altering the rate at which the land of certain country clubs and golf courses is valued for property tax assessment purposes; altering the frequency of a certain increase in the valuation rate for certain country clubs and golf courses; altering certain requirements that for certain fiscal years the Governor appropriate certain amounts from the General Fund to a certain special fund; altering the amount of a required appropriation from the Transportation Trust Fund for the operation of the Maryland Transit Administration for a certain fiscal year; providing the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment for certain fiscal years; providing that payments to certain providers with rates set by a certain committee may not increase by more than a certain amount for a certain fiscal year; authorizing the Governor to transfer certain amounts from certain funds; *authorizing certain State agencies to temporarily charge* certain expenditures to a certain account; providing a process to reimburse a certain account for certain charged expenditures; authorizing certain State agencies to temporarily charge certain expenditures to a certain account; providing a process to reimburse a certain account for certain charged expenditures; authorizing the Governor to print a reduced number of budget books for a certain fiscal year; requiring the Comptroller to transfer a certain amount from a certain special fund if certain conditions are not met; making certain grants to local jurisdictions in a certain fiscal year contingent on certain local funding; exempting certain retirees of the Employees' and Teachers' Pension Systems from a certain earnings limitation for a certain period of time; providing for the application and termination of a certain provision relating to a certain retiree earnings limitation; requiring certain employees in positions in certain Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services facilities to be transferred to certain vacancies in certain other facilities: requiring certain employees in positions in certain Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services facilities to be transferred to certain vacancies in certain other facilities; requiring certain appropriations to be reduced and certain funds to be transferred; and generally relating to the financing of State and local government.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments.

Article - Commercial Law

Section 14-4104(a)

1	Annotated Code of Maryland
2	(2013 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
3	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
4	$\underline{Article-Commercial\ Law}$
5	Section $14-4104(a)$
6	Annotated Code of Maryland
7	(2013 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
8	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
9	Article – Criminal Law
10	Section 13–1911.1(a) and (f)
11	Annotated Code of Maryland
12	(2012 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
13	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
14	Article – Criminal Law
15	Section 13–1911.1(d) and (e)
16	Annotated Code of Maryland
17	(2012 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
1 1	(2012 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
18	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
19	Article – Economic Development
20	Section 10–612.2(a) through (c)
21	Annotated Code of Maryland
22	(2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
23	(As enacted by Chapter 33 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021)
24	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
25	Article – Economic Development
26	Section 10–612.2(f)
27	Annotated Code of Maryland
28	(2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
29	(As enacted by Chapter 33 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021)
30	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
31	Article – Economic Development
32	Section 10–625
33	Annotated Code of Maryland
34	(2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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35	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
36	Article – Education
37	Section 5–206(a) through (c)
38	Annotated Code of Maryland
39	(2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
40	(As enacted by Chapters 36, 37, and 38 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021)

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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
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           Article – Education
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           Section 5–206(g)
           Annotated Code of Maryland
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           (2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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           (As enacted by Chapters 36, 37, and 38 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2021)
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    BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
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           Article - Education
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           Section 5 - 219(a) through (c), 18 - 401, 18 - 501(a), 18 - 3201(a), (b), and (d), and 24 - 201
           Annotated Code of Maryland
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           (2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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           Article - Education
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           Section 5-219(g), 16-305(e)(1), 17-104(a), 18-407(d)
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           Annotated Code of Maryland
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           (2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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    BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
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           Article – Health – General
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           Section 19-2201(a) and (e)(1)
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           Annotated Code of Maryland
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           (2019 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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    BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
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           Article – Health – General
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           Section 19–2201(e)(2)(iv)
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           Annotated Code of Maryland
27
           (2019 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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    BY adding to
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           Article – Health – General
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           Section 19-2201(e)(2)(v)
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           Annotated Code of Maryland
32
           (2019 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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    BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
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           Article – Insurance
           Section 6–102.1, 14–106(d) and (e), <u>31–107(b) and (f)</u>, and 31–107.2(a)
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           Annotated Code of Maryland
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           (2017 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
    BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
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           Article – Insurance
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1	Section $31-107(a)$ and (e)
2	Annotated Code of Maryland
3	(2017 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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4	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
5	Article – Natural Resources
6	Section 4–209(k)
7	Annotated Code of Maryland
8	(2018 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
9	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10	Article – State Finance and Procurement
11	Section 4-608, 6-104(e), 7-311(j)(1), 7-325, 8-132, and 10-501(a) 7-329(b-1) and
12	$\frac{7-330(g) \text{ and } (j)(3)}{1-3(g)}$
13	Annotated Code of Maryland
14	(2015 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
15	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
16	Article – State Finance and Procurement
17	Section 10–501(b) 7–329(a) and (b) and 7–330(b), (c), (f), and (j)(1)
18	Annotated Code of Maryland
19	(2015 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
19	(2015 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
20	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
21	Article – Tax – General
$\overline{22}$	Section 2–1303
23	Annotated Code of Maryland
24	(2016 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
44	(2010 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
25	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
26	Article – Tax – Property
27	Section 2-106 and 13-209(d-1) and (g)(2), (3), and (4) 8-213 and 13-209(g)(3) and
28	(4)
29	Annotated Code of Maryland
30	(2019 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
31	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
32	Article - Tax - Property
33	Section $\frac{13-209(d)}{13-209(g)(2)}$
34	Annotated Code of Maryland
35	(2019 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)
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36	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
37	$\frac{Article-Transportation}{Section 7, 207}$
38	$\frac{Section 7-205}{1}$
39	Annotated Code of Maryland
4O	(2020 Replacement Volume)

<u>(i)</u>

1	1 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,	
2	2 Chapter 397 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2011, as amended by	Chapter
3	3 425 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2013, Chapter 464 of the	- Acts of
4	4 the General Assembly of 2014, Chapter 489 of the Acts of the	General
5	5 Assembly of 2015, Chapter 23 of the Acts of the General Assembly	of 2017,
6	6 Chapter 10 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2018, Chapter 1	6 of the
7	7 Acts of the General Assembly of 2019, and Chapter 538 of the Act	s of the
8	8 General Assembly of 2020	
9	9 Section 16(c)	
0	SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARY	YLAND,
1	1 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:	
2	2 Article - Commercial Law	
13	13 14-4104.	
4	.4 (a) (1) For fiscal year [2020] 2022 and each fiscal year thereaf	tor the
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	in the state stages for the efficient of the purposes of emotionent of.	
17	(i) Consumer protection laws under this title;	
18	(ii) Consumer protection laws under Title 13 of this article;	and
9	9 (iii) Financial consumer protection laws.	
20	20 (2) The Office shall use the funds under paragraph (1) of this su	haection
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22	22 (i) Staffing costs associated with hiring new employees; and]
23	23 (ii) Investigations of alleged violations of consumer protections	ion laws
24	24 in the State.	
25	25 <u>Article – Commercial Law</u>	
26	26 <u>14–4104.</u>	
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30	30 <u>enforcement of:</u>	

Consumer protection laws under this title;

1			<u>(ii)</u>	Consumer protection laws under Title 13 of this article; and
2			<u>(iii)</u>	Financial consumer protection laws.
3		<u>(2)</u>	The C	Office shall use the funds under paragraph (1) of this subsection for:
4			<u>(i)</u>	Staffing costs associated with hiring new employees; and
5 6	the State.		<u>(ii)</u>	$\underline{Investigations\ of\ alleged\ violations\ of\ consumer\ protection\ laws\ in}$
7				Article - Criminal Law
8	13–1911.1.			
9	<u>(a)</u>	A raf	fle may	be conducted by a charitable foundation that:
0		<u>(1)</u>	<u>is exe</u>	mpt from taxation under § 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code;
$\frac{1}{2}$	in Prince Ge	(2) eorge's		liated with a professional football team that plays its home games y; and
13		<u>(3)</u>	has a	n office and conducts operations in Prince George's County.
14 15	(d) SUBSECTION	(<u>1)</u> ON, TH	[The] E proce	EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS eeds of a raffle shall be used to:
16			<u>(i)</u>	benefit the residents of Prince George's County;
17			<u>(ii)</u>	pay for prizes awarded to winners; and
18			<u>(iii)</u>	pay for reasonable costs for necessary equipment and supplies.
19 20 21	SHALL BE ESTABLISH		OSITE	EACH RAFFLE, 10% OF THE PROCEEDS OF THE RAFFLE D INTO THE MICHAEL ERIN BUSCH SPORTS FUND 10-612.2 OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ARTICLE.
22 23 24	in conducting operate the	_		Proceeds of a raffle may not be used to help cover costs involved including any compensation to ticket sellers or individuals who
25 26	(e) game [playe	(1) ed in P		The shall be held in conjunction with a specific professional football deorge's County.
27		(2)	A per	mit to hold a raffle is valid for not more than 24 hours].

1		[(3)] (2)	All raffle tickets shall be sold and received[:		
2 3	football team	(<u>i)]</u> n with which	on property owned or under the control of the professional the charitable foundation is affiliated[; and		
4 5	physically pr	(ii) resent on the	may not be sold on the Internet or otherwise to an individual not property].		
6 7 8	_	ed county ag	e March 30 of each year, the charitable foundation shall send to gency a report detailing the amount and disposition of the money revious calendar year.		
9			<u>Article – Economic Development</u>		
10	<u>10–612.2.</u>				
11	<u>(a)</u>	In this secti	on, "Fund" means the Michael Erin Busch Sports Fund.		
12	<u>(b)</u>	There is a N	<u> Michael Erin Busch Sports Fund.</u>		
13 14	(c) The purpose of the Fund is to provide funding for the Youth and Amateur Sports Grants Program established under § 10–612.1 of this subtitle.				
15	<u>(f)</u>	The Fund co	onsists of:		
16 17	Government		tue distributed to the Fund under § 9–120(b)(1)(iv) of the State		
18 19	ACCORDAN		CEEDS OF A RAFFLE DEPOSITED IN THE FUND IN 3–1911.1 OF THE CRIMINAL LAW ARTICLE;		
20		[(2)] (3)	money appropriated in the State budget to the Fund;		
21 22	any money i	[(3)] (4) n the Fund;	interest earnings or other income earned from the investment of and		
23 24	of the Fund.	[(4)] (5)	any other money from any other source accepted for the benefit		
25	10–625.				
26 27	(A) Authority sh		EPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE		

1 2 3	(1) an annual detailed report of the activities and financial status of the Authority to the Governor, and, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly; and
4 5 6	(2) annual reports on the additional tax revenues generated by each of the following facilities, prepared in cooperation with the Office of the Comptroller and the Department of Budget and Management:
7	(i) the Baltimore Convention facility;
8	(ii) the Hippodrome Performing Arts facility;
9	(iii) the Montgomery County Conference facility; and
10	(iv) the Ocean City Convention facility.
11 12 13	(B) THE AUTHORITY IS NOT REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THE ANNUAL REPORTS LISTED UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(2) OF THIS SECTION FOR ADDITIONAL TAX REVENUES GENERATED BY THE FACILITIES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021.
14	Article – Education
15	5-219.
16	(a) In this section, "Fund" means The Blueprint for Maryland's Future Fund.
17	(b) There is The Blueprint for Maryland's Future Fund.
18 19 20 21 22	(c) The purpose of the Fund is to assist in providing adequate funding for early childhood education and primary and secondary education to provide a world-class education to students so they are prepared for college and a career in the global economy of the 21st century, based on the recommendations of the Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education.
23	(g) The Fund may be used only to assist in providing adequate funding for:
24 25 26	(1) Early childhood education and primary and secondary education based on the recommendations of the Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education, including revised education funding formulas; [and]
27	(2) Maryland prekindergarten expansion grants; AND
28 29 30	(3) EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19), INCLUDING ONE-TIME PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION AID
31	GRANTS PROVIDED IN FISCAL YEAR 2022 TO:

$\frac{1}{2}$	(I) ADDRESS ENROLLMENT DECLINES RELATED TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC; AND
3	(H) ENSURE THAT EVERY COUNTY BOARD RECEIVES AN
4	INCREASE IN STATE EDUCATION AID OVER THE AMOUNT OF STATE EDUCATION AID
5	THE COUNTY BOARD RECEIVED IN FISCAL YEAR 2021.
6	<u>5–206.</u>
7	(a) In this section, "Fund" means the Blueprint for Maryland's Future Fund.
8	(b) There is the Blueprint for Maryland's Future Fund.
9 10 11 12 13	(c) The purpose of the Fund is to assist in providing adequate funding for early childhood education and primary and secondary education to provide a world–class education to students so they are prepared for college and a career in the global economy of the 21st century, based on the recommendations of the Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education.
14	(g) (1) The Fund may be used only to assist in providing adequate funding for:
15 16 17	(i) Early childhood education, primary and secondary education, and other programs, based on the recommendations of the Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education, including revised education funding formulas; [and]
18	(ii) Maryland prekindergarten expansion grants; AND
19	(III) EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION, PRIMARY AND SECONDARY
20	EDUCATION, AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE
21	CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19), INCLUDING:
22 23	1. ONE-TIME PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION AID GRANTS PROVIDED IN FISCAL YEAR 2022 TO:
24 25	A. ADDRESS ENROLLMENT DECLINES RELATED TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC; AND
26 27 28	B. ENSURE THAT EVERY COUNTY BOARD RECEIVES AN INCREASE IN STATE EDUCATION AID OVER THE AMOUNT OF STATE EDUCATION AID THE COUNTY BOARD RECEIVED IN FISCAL YEAR 2021; AND
29 30	2. GRANTS PROVIDED IN FISCAL YEARS 2021 AND 2022 FOR:

1 2 3	A. SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAMS, TUTORING, AND OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTION PROGRAMS TO ADDRESS STUDENT LEARNING LOSS;
4 5	B. <u>IDENTIFICATION OF AND SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS</u> <u>DEALING WITH TRAUMA OR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ISSUES; AND</u>
6 7	<u>C. Schools to safely reopen for in-person</u> <u>instruction.</u>
8 9	(2) The Fund may not be used for school construction under Subtitle 3 of this title.
10	16-305.
11 12 13	(e) (1) (i) Except as provided in subparagraphs (iii), (iv), [and] (v), (VI), AND (VII) of this paragraph, the total State operating fund per full—time equivalent student to the community colleges for each fiscal year as requested by the Governor shall be:
14 15 16 17 18	1. In fiscal year 2009, not less than an amount equal to 26.25% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the previous fiscal year;
19 20 21 22 23	2. In fiscal year 2010, not less than an amount equal to 23.6% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full–time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year;
24 25 26 27 28	3. In fiscal year 2011, not less than an amount equal to 21.8% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year;
29 30 31 32 33	4. In fiscal year 2012, not less than an amount equal to 20% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full—time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year;
34 35	5. In fiscal year 2014, an amount that is the greater of 19.7% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for

- the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year or \$1.839.47 per full-time equivalent student:
- 6. In fiscal year 2015, an amount that is the greater of 19.7% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year or \$1.839.47 per full-time equivalent student:
- 7. In fiscal year 2017, not less than an amount equal to 20.5% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year:
- 13 8. In fiscal year 2018, not less than an amount equal to 21.0%
 14 of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year
 15 public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for
 16 the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article
 17 in the same fiscal year;
- 18 9. In fiscal year 2019, not less than an amount equal to 22.0%
 19 of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year
 20 public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for
 21 the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article
 22 in the same fiscal year:
 - of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year: AND
 - 11. In fiscal year 2021, not less than an amount equal to 25% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year [;
 - 12. In fiscal year 2022, not less than an amount equal to 27% of the State's General Fund appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year; and

- equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in the State as designated by the Commission for the purpose of administering the Joseph A. Sellinger Program under Title 17 of this article in the same fiscal year.
- 4 (ii) For purposes of this subsection, the State's General Fund
 5 appropriation per full-time equivalent student to the 4-year public institutions of higher
 6 education in the State for a fiscal year shall include noncapital appropriations from the
 7 Higher Education Investment Fund.
- 8 (iii) Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph (i) of this 9 paragraph, the total State operating funds to be distributed under this subsection to the community colleges for each of fiscal years 2011 and 2012 shall be \$194,407,432.
- 11 (iv) In fiscal year 2013, the total State operating funds for community colleges shall be \$199,176,114, to be distributed as follows:

13		1.	Allegany College\$4,773,622	<u>).</u>
14		<u>9</u>	Anne Arundel Community College\$27,235,326);
15		3.	Community College of Baltimore County\$34,398,366	};
16		4.	Carroll Community College\$6,851,515	;
17		5.	Cecil Community College\$4,645,751	;
18		6.	College of Southern Maryland\$10,902,580);
19		7.	Chesapeake College\$5,675,815	, };
20		8.	Frederick Community College\$8,145,648	} .
21		9.	Garrett College\$2,246,709);
22		10.	Hagerstown Community College\$6,965,064	ļ;
23		11.	Harford Community College\$9,990,806	};
24		12.	Howard Community College\$12,584,485	,
25		13.	Montgomery College\$35,998,553	} .
26 27	and	14.	Prince George's Community College\$22,013,074	ļ ;
28		15.	Wor-Wie Community College\$6,748,796	}.

1	(v)		cal year 2016, the total State operating funds	for community
2	colleges shall be \$222,74	1,620, 1	to be distributed as follows:	
3		1.	Allegany College	\$4,850,443;
4		<u>2</u>	Anne Arundel Community College	\$28,715,483;
5		3.	Community College of Baltimore County	\$38,637,668;
6		4.	Carroll Community College	\$7,345,653;
7		5.	Cecil Community College	\$5,108,064;
8		6.	College of Southern Maryland	\$13,017,885;
9		7.	Chesapeake College	\$6,142,473;
10		8.	Frederick Community College	\$8,975,284;
11		9.	Garrett College	\$2,561,002;
12		10.	Hagerstown Community College	\$7,620,412;
13		11.	Harford Community College	\$10,865,634;
14		12.	Howard Community College	\$15,723,055;
15		13.	Montgomery College	\$40,000,786;
16 17	and	14.	Prince George's Community College	\$26,072,537;
18		15.	Wor-Wie Community College	\$7,108,241.
19 20 21	` '	MMU	ISCAL YEAR 2022, THE TOTAL STATION STATE S	
22		1.	ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND	\$5,475,489;
23		<u>2</u>	ANNE ARUNDEL	COMMUNITY
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25		3.	COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF	BALTIMORE
26			COUNTY	.\$44,790,747;

1		4.	CARROLL COMMUNITY COLLEGE	\$8,108,664;
2		5.	CECIL COLLEGE	\$5,698,602;
3		6.	COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN MARYLANI)\$1 5,179,325;
4		7.	CHESAPEAKE COLLEGE	\$6,480,975;
5		8.	FREDERICK COMMUNITY COLLEGE.	\$11,768,685;
6		9.	GARRETT COLLEGE	\$3,025,651;
7		10.	HAGERSTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEC	SE\$9,002,527;
8		11.	HARFORD COMMUNITY COLLEGE	\$12,759,322;
9		12.	HOWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE	\$20,901,077;
10		13.	MONTGOMERY COLLEGE	\$47,749,060;
11		14.	PRINCE GEORGE'S	COMMUNITY
12			COLLEGE	32,967,142; AND
13		15.	Wor-Wic Community College	\$8,402,261 .
14	(VII)	BEG	INNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2023 AND EA	ACH FISCAL YEAR
15	THEREAFTER, THE TO	TAL S	TATE OPERATING FUNDS TO BE DIST	RIBUTED UNDER
16	THIS SUBSECTION TO	EACH	COMMUNITY COLLEGE SHALL BE THE	AMOUNT OF AID
17	PROVIDED IN THE CUI	RENT	FISCAL YEAR AS APPROVED IN THE S	TATE BUDGET AS
18			ASSEMBLY INCREASED BY THE PERCE	
19	THE PROJECTED TOTAL	L GE	NERAL FUND REVENUES FOR THE U	PCOMING FISCAL
20	YEAR EXCEED THE RE	VISED	ESTIMATE OF TOTAL GENERAL FUN	D REVENUES FOR
21	THE CURRENT FISCA	L YEA	R, AS CONTAINED IN THE DECEM	BER REPORT OF
22	ESTIMATED STATE RE	VENUE	'S SUBMITTED BY THE BOARD OF REV	ENUE ESTIMATES
23	TO THE COVERNOR U	NDER-	§ 6-106 of the State Finance ani	PROCUREMENT
24	ARTICLE.			
25	17-104.			
26	(a) (1) Exce	nt aa n	rovided in paragraphs (2), (3), (4), [and]-	(5). (6). AND (7). of
27 27			Higher Education Commission shall com-	

the annual apportionment for each institution that qualifies under this subtitle by

multiplying the number of full-time equivalent students enrolled at the institution during

- the fall semester of the fiscal year preceding the fiscal year for which the aid apportionment is made, as determined by the Maryland Higher Education Commission by:
- 3 (i) In fiscal year 2009, an amount not less than 16% of the State's
 4 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 5 institutions of higher education in this State for the preceding fiscal year;
- 6 (ii) In fiscal year 2010, an amount not less than 12.85% of the State's
 7 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 8 institutions of higher education in the State for the same fiscal year;
- 9 (iii) In fiscal year 2011, an amount not less than 9.8% of the State's
 10 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 11 institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year:
- 12 (iv) In fiscal year 2012, an amount not less than 9.2% of the State's
 13 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 14 institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year;
- 15 (v) In fiscal year 2014, an amount that is the greater of 9.4% of the
 16 State's General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 17 institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year or \$875.53 per
 18 full-time equivalent student:
- 19 (vi) In fiscal year 2015, an amount that is the greater of 9.4% of the State's General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year or \$875.53 per full-time equivalent student;
- 23 (vii) In fiscal year 2017, an amount not less than 10.1% of the State's
 24 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 25 institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year;
- 26 (viii) In fiscal year 2018, an amount not less than 10.5% of the State's
 27 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 28 institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year;
- 29 (ix) In fiscal year 2019, an amount not less than 10.8% of the State's 30 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public 31 institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year; AND
- 32 (x) In fiscal year 2020, an amount not less than 11.1% of the State's
 33 General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation to the 4-year public
 34 institutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year is and

1	(xi)	In fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter, an amount not
2	less than 15.5% of the St	ate's General Fund per full-time equivalent student appropriation
3	to the 4-year public inst	itutions of higher education in this State for the same fiscal year].
4	(2) For (each of fiscal years 2011 and 2012, the total amount of the aid
5	provided under this sub	title shall be \$38,445,958, to be allocated among the institutions
6	that qualify under this su	abtitle in proportion to the number of full-time equivalent students
7	enrolled at each institut	ion during the fall semester of the fiscal year preceding the fiscal
8	year for which the aid	apportionment is made, as determined by the Maryland Higher
9	Education Commission.	
10	(3) In fig	eal year 2013, the total amount of aid due to all institutions shall
11	be \$38,056,175.	
12	(4) In fi	seal year 2016, the total amount of the aid provided under this
13	\	,240, to be allocated among the institutions that qualify under this
14	• •	the number of full-time equivalent students enrolled at each
15		all semester of fiscal year 2015, as determined by the Maryland
16	Higher Education Comm	nission.
17	(5)	scal year 2021, the total amount of the aid provided under this
18	` '	.905, to be allocated among the institutions that qualify under this
19	subtitle in proportion to	the number of full-time equivalent students enrolled at each
20	institution during the fa	all semester of fiscal year 2020, as determined by the Maryland
21	Higher Education Comm	nission.
22	(6)	ISCAL YEAR 2022, THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF AID DUE TO ALL
23	INSTITUTIONS SHALL I	BE \$59,024,905 TO BE DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:
24	(1)	CAPITOL TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY\$670,957;
25	(II)	GOUCHER COLLEGE\$2,466,084;
26	(III)	HOOD COLLEGE\$1,834,286;
27	(IV)	Johns Hopkins University\$29,019,524;
28	(V)	LOYOLA UNIVERSITY MARYLAND\$6,534,728;
29	(VI)	MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART\$2,823,062;
30	(VII)	McDaniel College\$2,771,043;
31	(VIII) MOUNT ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY\$2,676,349;
32	(IX)	NOTRE DAME OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY\$1,842,589;

1	(X) ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE\$843,131;
2	(XI) STEVENSON UNIVERSITY\$4,358,920;
3	(XII) WASHINGTON ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY\$1,171,808;
4	AND
5	(XIII) WASHINGTON COLLEGE\$2,012,424.
6	(7) BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2023 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR
7	THEREAFTER, THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF AID PROVIDED TO EACH ELIGIBLE
8	INSTITUTION UNDER THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE THE AMOUNT OF AID PROVIDED IN
9	THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR INCREASED BY ONE PERCENTAGE POINT LESS THAN
10	THE PERCENTAGE BY WHICH THE PROJECTED TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUES
11	FOR THE UPCOMING FISCAL YEAR EXCEED THE REVISED ESTIMATE OF TOTAL
12	GENERAL FUND REVENUES FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR, AS CONTAINED IN THE
13	DECEMBER REPORT OF ESTIMATED STATE REVENUES SUBMITTED BY THE BOARD
14	OF REVENUE ESTIMATES TO THE GOVERNOR UNDER § 6-106 OF THE STATE
15	FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE.
16	18-401.
17	There is a program of senatorial scholarships in this State that are awarded under
18	this subtitle.
19	18-407.
20	(d) (1) To the extent a scholarship awarded under § 18-404 of this subtitle is
21	not used by a student, money appropriated to the Commission for that award not used by
22	the end of the fiscal year shall be retained by the Commission for use by the awarding
23	Senator in the Senatorial Scholarship Program during THE subsequent fiscal [years]
24	YEAR.
25	(2) AT THE CLOSE OF A FISCAL YEAR, ANY FUNDS NOT USED AS
26	PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE DEPOSITED IN THE
27	NEED BASED STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER §
28	18 107 OF THIS TITLE.
29	18-501.
30	(a) There is a program of Delegate Scholarships in this State that are awarded

- Money appropriated to the Commission for scholarships awarded under 1 this section that is not used by the end of the fiscal year shall be retained by the Commission 3 for use by the awarding Delegate in the Delegate Scholarship Program during THE subsequent fiscal Ivears YEAR. 4
- AT THE CLOSE OF A FISCAL YEAR, ANY FUNDS NOT USED AS 5 6 PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE DEPOSITED IN THE NEED-BASED STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER § 18 107 OF THIS TITLE 8
- 18 3201 9
- In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated. 10 (a)
- "Foster care recipient" means an individual who was placed in an out-of-home 11 (b) placement by a state's or unit of a state government's department of social services for 3 12 13 vears or more.
- "Program" means the Maryland Loan Assistance Repayment Program for 14 (d) 15 Foster Care Recipients.
- 18 3203. 16
- Subject to the availability of funds lappropriated under subsection (b) of this 17 section, the award amount under the Program shall be equal to the lesser of: 18
- 19 (1) \$5.000; or
- 20 10% of the eligible individual's total higher education loan debt for each vear the individual qualifies for the Program. 21
- 22 The Governor annually shall include an appropriation of \$100,000 in the (h) 23 State budget for NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, the Commission 24 SHALL USE A PORTION OF THE FUNDING PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE JANET L. HOFFMAN LOAN ASSISTANCE REPAYMENT PROGRAM ESTABLISHED 25 UNDER SUBTITIE 15 OF THIS TITLE to disburse assistance under this subtitle.
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- 27 24-201
- There is a Maryland Public Broadcasting Commission. 28
- 24-204 29
- [Beginning in] FOR fiscal [year] YEARS 2019 AND 2020, [and for each 30 fiscal year thereafter. I the Governor shall include in the annual budget bill a General Fund 31 appropriation to the Commission in an amount not less than the General Fund 32

- 1 appropriation for the current fiscal year as approved in the State budget as enacted by the
- 2 General Assembly and increased by the percentage by which the projected total General
- 3 Fund revenues for the upcoming fiscal year exceed the revised estimate of total General
- 4 Fund revenues for the current fiscal year, as contained in the December report of estimated
- 5 State revenues submitted by the Board of Revenue Estimates to the Governor under §
- 6 6-106 of the State Finance and Procurement Article.
- 7 [In]-FOR FISCAL YEARS 2019 THROUGH 2021, IN addition to (2)the appropriation required under paragraph (1) of this subsection, if the actual amount of 8 special funds in special fund code R15304 Community Services Grant and CPB Grant in 9 budget code R15P00 Maryland Public Broadcasting Commission received by the 10 11 Commission in the second previous fiscal year is lower than the amount that was budgeted 12 for the Commission as approved in the State budget as enacted by the General Assembly for the second previous fiscal year, the Governor shall include in the annual budget bill, for 13 the upcoming fiscal year, a General Fund appropriation to the Commission in an amount 14 not less than the difference between the actual funds and the budgeted funds. 15
- 16 (ii) The general funds appropriated under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not be included in the calculation under paragraph (1) of this subsection for any subsequent fiscal year.

19 Article - Health - General

- 20 19-2201.
- 21 (a) In this section, "Fund" means the Community Health Resources Commission 22 Fund.
- 23 (e) (1) Subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, the Fund may be used only 24 to:
- 25 (i) Cover the administrative costs of the Commission;
- 26 (ii) Cover the actual documented direct costs of fulfilling the 27 statutory and regulatory duties of the Commission in accordance with the provisions of this 28 subtitle;
- 29 (iii) Provide operating grants to qualifying community health 30 resources; and
- 31 (iv) Provide funding for the development, support, and monitoring of 32 a unified data information system among primary and specialty care providers, hospitals, 33 and other providers of services to community health resource members.
- 34 (2) (iv) For fiscal [year] YEARS 2019 [and each fiscal year thereafter] 35 THROUGH 2021, the Fund may be used for any project or initiative authorized under Title 36 10. Subtitle 2 and Title 13. Subtitle 3 of this article and approved by the Commission if no

- less than \$8,000,000 of the subsidy required under § 14-106(d)(2)(ii)2 of the Insurance 1 Article is used in each fiscal year for the purposes under paragraph (1) of this subsection. 2
- 3 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, THE FUND MAY BE USED FOR ANY PROJECT OR INITIATIVE 4 AUTHORIZED UNDER TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 2 AND TITLE 13, SUBTITLE 3 OF THIS 5 6 ARTICLE AND APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION IF NOT MORE THAN \$8,000,000 OF THE SUBSIDY REQUIRED UNDER § 14–106(D)(2)(II)2 OF THE INSURANCE ARTICLE 7 8 IS USED IN EACH THAT FISCAL YEAR FOR THE PURPOSES UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF

Article - Insurance

- 11 6-102.1.

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12 (a) This section applies to:

THIS SUBSECTION.

- 13 an insurer, a nonprofit health service plan, a health maintenance 14 organization, a dental plan organization, a fraternal benefit organization, and any other person subject to regulation by the State that provides a product that: 15
- 16 was subject to § 9010 of the Affordable Care Act, as in effect on (i) 17 December 1, 2019; and
- 18 (ii) may be subject to an assessment by the State; and
- 19 (2)a managed care organization authorized under Title 15, Subtitle 1 of 20 the Health – General Article.
 - The purpose of this section is to assist in the stabilization of the individual health insurance market by assessing a health insurance provider fee that is attributable to State health risk for calendar years 2019 through 2023, both inclusive, as provided for under subsection (c) of this section.
- 25(c) In calendar year 2019, in addition to the amounts otherwise due under 26 this subtitle, an entity subject to this section shall be subject to an assessment of 2.75% on all amounts used to calculate the entity's premium tax liability under § 6-102 of this 28 subtitle or the amount of the entity's premium tax exemption value for calendar year 2018.
- 29 In calendar years 2020 through 2023, both inclusive, in addition to the amounts otherwise due under this subtitle, an entity subject to this section shall be subject 30 31 to an assessment of 1% on all amounts used to calculate the entity's premium tax liability 32 under § 6–102 of this subtitle or the amount of the entity's premium tax exemption value 33 for the immediately preceding calendar year.

- 1 (3) The assessments required in paragraphs (1) and (2) of this subsection 2 are for products that:
- 3 (i) were subject to \S 9010 of the Affordable Care Act, as in effect on 4 December 1, 2019; and
- 5 (ii) may be subject to an assessment by the State.
- 6 (4) The calculation of the assessments required under paragraphs (1) and 7 (2) of this subsection shall be made without regard to:
- 8 (i) the threshold limits established in § 9010(b)(2)(A) of the 9 Affordable Care Act; or
- 10 (ii) the partial exclusion of net premiums provided for in § 11 9010(b)(2)(B) of the Affordable Care Act.
- 12 (d) (1) IN EACH OF FISCAL YEARS 2021 THROUGH 2026 AND 2022,
 13 THE GOVERNOR SHALL TRANSFER \$100,000,000 OF THE FUNDS COLLECTED FROM
 14 THE ASSESSMENT REQUIRED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE TRANSFERRED IN
 15 ACCORDANCE WITH SUBPARAGRAPHS (II) AND (III) OF THIS PARAGRAPH TO
 16 MEDICAL CARE PROVIDER REIMBURSEMENTS (M00Q01.03) WITHIN THE MEDICAL
 17 CARE PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATION OF THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
- 18 (II) IF ALL OR A PORTION OF THE FUNDS REQUIRED TO BE
 19 TRANSFERRED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH HAVE BEEN
 20 RECEIVED AND ARE HELD IN THE MARYLAND HEALTH BENEFIT EXCHANGE FUND
 21 ESTABLISHED UNDER § 31–107 OF THIS ARTICLE, THE GOVERNOR SHALL TRANSFER
 22 THE AVAILABLE AMOUNT IN THE FUND.
- 23 (III) IF THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS TRANSFERRED UNDER
 24 SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH IS LESS THAN THE AMOUNT REQUIRED TO
 25 BE TRANSFERRED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, THE
 26 INSURANCE COMMISSIONER SHALL TRANSFER THE REMAINING AMOUNT FROM THE
 27 FUNDS COLLECTED FROM THE ASSESSMENT REQUIRED UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 28 (2) At the beginning of each of fiscal years 2023 and 2024,
 29 THE GOVERNOR SHALL TRANSFER THE FIRST \$8,000,000 OF THE FUNDS COLLECTED
 30 FROM THE ASSESSMENT REQUIRED UNDER THIS SECTION TO THE COMMUNITY
 31 HEALTH RESOURCES COMMISSION.
- 32 (2) (3) Notwithstanding § 2–114 of this article, the REMAINDER OF
 33 THE assessment required under this section AFTER ANY TRANSFERS MADE UNDER
 34 PARAGRAPH (1) PARAGRAPHS (1) AND (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION shall be distributed

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- by the Commissioner to the Maryland Health Benefit Exchange Fund established under § 31–107 of this article.
 14–106.
- 4 (d) (1) Notwithstanding subsection (c) of this section, a nonprofit health 5 service plan that is subject to this section and issues comprehensive health care benefits in 6 the State shall:
- 7 (i) offer health care products in the individual market;
- 8 (ii) offer health care products in the small employer group market in 9 accordance with Title 15, Subtitle 12 of this article;
- 10 (iii) subsidize the Senior Prescription Drug Assistance Program 11 established under Title 15, Subtitle 10 of the Health – General Article;
- 12 (iv) subsidize the Kidney Disease Program under Title 13, Subtitle 3 13 of the Health – General Article;
- 14 (v) support the costs of the Community Health Resources 15 Commission under Title 19, Subtitle 21 of the Health – General Article, including:
- 16 1. operating grants to community health resources;
- 17 2. funding for a unified data information system;
- 18 3. the documented direct costs of fulfilling the statutory and 19 regulatory duties of the Commission; and
- 20 4. the administrative costs of the Commission; and
- 21 (vi) subsidize the provision of mental health services to the 22 uninsured under Title 10, Subtitle 2 of the Health General Article.
- 23 (2) (i) Except as provided in subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, the support provided under paragraph (1)(iv), (v), and (vi) of this subsection to the Kidney Disease Program, the Community Health Resources Commission, and the Maryland Department of Health, respectively, shall be the value of the premium tax exemption less the subsidy required under this subsection for the Senior Prescription Drug Assistance Program.
- 29 (ii) **[**The**]** SUBJECT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (III) OF THIS
 30 PARAGRAPH, THE subsidy provided under this subsection to the Community Health
 31 Resources Commission may not be less than:
 - 1. \$3,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2012 and 2013; and

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1 2	2. \$8,000,000 for EACH OF fiscal [year] YEARS 2014 [and each fiscal year thereafter] THROUGH $\frac{2021}{2022}$.
3 4 5	(III) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, THE SUBSIDY PROVIDED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION TO THE COMMUNITY HEALTH RESOURCES COMMISSION MAY NOT EXCEED \$8,000,000.
6 7 8	(3) For any year, the subsidy and funding required under this subsection by a nonprofit health service plan subject to this section may not exceed the value of the nonprofit health service plan's premium tax exemption under § 6–101(b) of this article.
9 10 11	(e) The subsidy that a nonprofit health service plan is required to provide to the Senior Prescription Drug Assistance Program under subsection (d)(1)(iii) of this section [may not exceed]:
12 13	(1) for the period of January 1, 2006 through June 30, 2006, MAY NOT EXCEED \$8,000,000;
14 15	(2) for fiscal years 2008 through [2025] 2021 , MAY NOT EXCEED \$14,000,000; [and]
16 17	$(3) \qquad \text{for fiscal year 2022 } \frac{\text{and each year thereafter}}{\text{EXCEED}}, \text{ May not } \frac{\text{BE less than }}{\text{EXCEED}} \frac{\$14,000,000; \text{ and }}{\$11,500,000;} \frac{\$14,000,000; \text{ and }}{\$11,500,000;}$
18 19	(4) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, MAY NOT BE LESS THAN \$14,000,000; AND
20 21 22	(4) (5) (4) for any year <u>AFTER FISCAL YEAR 2022</u> , MAY NOT EXCEED the value of the nonprofit health service plan's premium tax exemption under \S 6–101(b) of this article.
23	<u>31–107.</u>
24	(a) There is a Maryland Health Benefit Exchange Fund.
25	(b) (1) The purpose of the Fund is to:
26 27	(i) provide funding for the operation and administration of the Exchange in carrying out the purposes of the Exchange under this subtitle; [and]
28	(ii) provide funding for the establishment and operation of the State

Reinsurance Program authorized under this subtitle; AND

1 2	(III) PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AND THE SENIOR PRESCRIPTION DRUG ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.
3 4 5	(2) The operation and administration of the Exchange and the State Reinsurance Program may include functions delegated by the Exchange to a third party under law or by contract.
6	(e) The Fund consists of:
7	(1) any user fees or other assessments collected by the Exchange;
8 9	(2) all revenue deposited into the Fund that is received from the distribution of the premium tax under § 6–103.2 of this article;
10	(3) income from investments made on behalf of the Fund;
11	(4) interest on deposits or investments of money in the Fund;
12 13	(5) money collected by the Board as a result of legal or other actions taken by the Board on behalf of the Exchange or the Fund;
14	(6) money donated to the Fund;
15	(7) money awarded to the Fund through grants;
16 17	(8) any pass-through funds received from the federal government under a waiver approved under § 1332 of the Affordable Care Act;
18 19	(9) any funds designated by the federal government to provide reinsurance to carriers that offer individual health benefit plans in the State;
20 21	(10) any funds designated by the State to provide reinsurance to carriers that offer individual health benefit plans in the State;
22 23	(11) any federal funds received in accordance with § 31–121 of this subtitle for the administration of small business tax credits; and
24 25	(12) any other money from any other source accepted for the benefit of the Fund.
26	(f) The Fund may be used only:
27 28	(1) for the operation and administration of the Exchange in carrying out the purposes authorized under this subtitle; [and]

for the establishment and operation of the State Reinsurance Program;

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1	(3) IN FISCAL YEARS 2021 AND 2022, FOR THE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
2	PROGRAM WITHIN THE MEDICAL CARE PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATION OF THE
3	MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; AND
4	(4) IN FISCAL YEAR 2022, FOR THE SENIOR PRESCRIPTION DRUG
5	ASSISTANCE PROGRAM ESTABLISHED UNDER TITLE 15, SUBTITLE 10 OF THE
6	HEALTH – GENERAL ARTICLE.

7 31-107.2.

- 8 For State fiscal year 2015 and for each State fiscal year thereafter, from the funds received from the distribution of the premium tax under § 6–103.2 of this article, 9 the Governor shall provide an appropriation in the State budget adequate to fully fund the 10 operations of the Exchange.
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- 12 (2)(i) For State fiscal year 2015, the appropriation shall be no less than \$10,000,000. 13
- 14 (ii) For State fiscal year 2021, the appropriation shall be 15 \$31,500,000.
- 16 (iii) For [each] State fiscal year 2022 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR thereafter, the appropriation shall be [not less than \$35,000,000] \$32,000,000. 17

Article - Natural Resources 18

19 4-209.

20 (k) [The] BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2023 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR 21 THEREAFTER, THE Governor shall include in the ANNUAL budget bill [for each fiscal year] 22a General Fund appropriation to the Fisheries Research and Development Fund of not less 23 than \$1,794,000.

Article - State Finance and Procurement

4-608. 25

- 26 (a) Annually, the State shall appropriate in the State budget and pay to the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis at least [\$750,000] \$367,000 as payment for 27 28 services provided to the State by the City of Annapolis.
- 29 For fiscal year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter, the appropriation required 30 under subsection (a) of this section shall be increased by the percent increase in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the Baltimore Metropolitan Statistical 31 32 Area.l

L	6-104.
2	(e) (1) Beginning with the revenue estimate for fiscal year 2020, the Bureau
3	shall calculate the share of General Fund revenues represented by nonwithholding income
Į	tax revenues in accordance with this subsection.
<u> </u>	(2) (i) For each fiscal year, the Bureau shall calculate the 10-year
	average share of General Fund revenues represented by nonwithholding income tax
	revenues.
,	(ii) 1. For each fiscal year, the 10-year average shall use the 10
	most recently completed fiscal years for which data are available when the estimate is
	prepared in the September before the beginning of the fiscal year.
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	2. The same 10-year average shall be used in all subsequent
	revisions to the revenue estimate for that fiscal year.
	(3) (i) Subject to subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, for each fiscal
	year, if the Bureau's estimate of the share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding
	income tax revenues is above the 10-year average share, the Bureau shall adjust the
	revenue estimate by reducing General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes.
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph
3333	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes.
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in a specified fiscal year:
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in a specified fiscal year: 1. 0.225% for fiscal year 2020;
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in a specified fiscal year: 1. 0.225% for fiscal year 2020; 2. \$0 for fiscal year 2021;
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in a specified fiscal year: 1. 0.225% for fiscal year 2020;
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	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in a specified fiscal year: 1. 0.225% for fiscal year 2020; 2. \$0 for fiscal year 2021; 3. [\$80,000,000] \$0 for fiscal year 2022; 4. \$100,000,000 for fiscal year 2023;
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in a specified fiscal year: 1. 0.225% for fiscal year 2020; 2. \$0 for fiscal year 2021; 3. [\$80,000,000] \$0 for fiscal year 2022; 4. \$100,000,000 for fiscal year 2023; 5. \$120,000,000 for fiscal year 2024;
	revenues by an amount sufficient to align the estimated share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income tax revenues with the 10-year average share of General Fund revenues from nonwithholding income taxes. (ii) The adjustment made under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph may not exceed the following percentage of total General Fund revenues or dollar value in a specified fiscal year: 1. 0.225% for fiscal year 2020; 2. \$0 for fiscal year 2021; 3. [\$80,000,000] \$0 for fiscal year 2022; 4. \$100,000,000 for fiscal year 2023; 5. \$120,000,000 for fiscal year 2024; 6. \$140,000,000 for fiscal year 2025; and

1	<u>7–329.</u>				
2	(a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.				
3 4	(2) "Fund" means the Fiscal Responsibility Fund established under 57–330 of this subtitle.				
5 6 7	(3) (i) "Nonwithholding income tax revenues" means the State share of income tax quarterly estimated and final payments with returns made by individuals, as defined in § 10–101 of the Tax – General Article.				
8	(ii) "Nonwithholding income tax revenues" does not include:				
9 10	1. the county share of income tax quarterly estimated and final payments with returns made by individuals;				
11	<u>2.</u> <u>income tax payments made by corporations;</u>				
12	3. income tax refunds paid to individuals or corporations; or				
13	4. income tax withholding.				
14 15 16 17 18	(b) At the end of fiscal year 2020, and each fiscal year thereafter, if General Fund revenues for the fiscal year are less than the March estimate of the Board of Revenue Estimates, the amount of nonwithholding income tax revenues that exceeds the capped estimate determined under § 6–104(e) of this article shall be applied to close the gap in revenues for that fiscal year.				
19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27	(b-1) At the end of fiscal year [2020] 2022 only, if the amount of nonwithholding income tax revenues that exceeds the capped estimate determined under § 6–104(e) of this article exceeds the amount necessary to close the gap in revenues under subsection (b) of this section, the State Comptroller shall distribute the remainder to the Fiscal Responsibility Fund established under § 7–330 of this subtitle for the purpose of providing, beginning July 1, [2020] 2022 , A COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT OF UP TO 4.5% for permanent employees in the Executive Branch of State government who are in a bargaining unit that is represented by [one of the following exclusive representatives, a cost-of-living adjustment as follows:				
28 29 30	(1) up to 1% for] the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO, excluding a bargaining unit represented by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO Local 1859[; and				
31 32 33	(2) any revenues that exceed the amount needed for the cost—of—living adjustment in item (1) of this subsection shall be distributed proportionally to provide up to 2% for the following:				

$\frac{1}{2}$	(i) the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO, excluding a bargaining unit represented by the American			
3	Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO Local 1859;			
4	(ii) AFT Healthcare–Maryland, AFT, AFL–CIO Local 5197; and			
5 6	(iii) the Maryland Professional Employees Council/AFT/AFL-CIO Local 6197].			
7	<u>7–330.</u>			
8	(b) There is a Fiscal Responsibility Fund.			
9 10 11	(c) The purpose of the Fund is to retain the amount of nonwithholding income tax revenues deposited to the Fund in accordance with § 7–329(d)(2) of this subtitle until the revenues are appropriated in the State budget.			
12 13 14	(f) The Fund consists of nonwithholding income tax revenues that exceed the capped estimate determined under § 6–104(e) of this article deposited into the Fund by the State Comptroller under § 7–329(d)(2) of this subtitle.			
15 16	(g) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, the Fund may be used only to provide pay—as—you—go capital funds for:			
17 18	(i) <u>public school construction and public school capital improvement</u> <u>projects, in accordance with Title 5, Subtitle 3 of the Education Article;</u>			
19	(ii) capital projects at public community colleges; and			
20 21	(iii) capital projects at four—year public institutions of higher education.			
22 23 24 25 26	(2) For fiscal year [2021] 2023 only, money in the Fund shall be used to provide, beginning July 1, [2020] 2022 , A COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT OF UP TO 4.5% for permanent employees in the Executive Branch of State government who are in a bargaining unit that is represented by [one of the following exclusive representatives, a cost-of-living adjustment as follows:			
27 28 29	(i) up to 1% for the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO, excluding a bargaining unit represented by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO Local 1859 [; and			
30 31 32	(ii) any revenues that exceed the amount needed for the cost—of—living adjustment in item (i) of this paragraph shall be distributed proportionally to provide up to 2% for the following:			

1 2 3	1. the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO, excluding a bargaining unit represented by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO Local 1859;			
4 5	2. <u>AFT Healthcare–Maryland, AFT, AFL–CIO Local 5197;</u> and			
6 7	<u>3. the Maryland Professional Employees</u> Council/AFT/AFL-CIO Local 6197].			
8 9 10	(j) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (3) of this subsection, the Governor shall include in the budget bill for the second following fiscal year an appropriation equal to the amount in the Fund for pay—as—you—go capital projects.			
11 12 13 14 15 16 17	(3) The Governor shall include in the budget bill submitted at the [2021] 2022 Session of the General Assembly an appropriation equal to the amount distributed to the Fund in accordance with § 7–329(b–1) of this subtitle to provide, beginning July 1, [2020] 2022, A COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT OF UP TO 4.5% for permanent employees in the Executive Branch of State government who are in a bargaining unit that is represented by [one of the following exclusive representatives, a cost-of-living adjustment as follows:			
18 19 20	(i) up to 1% for the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO, excluding a bargaining unit represented by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL—CIO Local 1859 [; and			
21 22 23	(ii) any revenues that exceed the amount needed for the cost—of—living adjustment in item (i) of this paragraph shall be distributed proportionally to provide up to 2% for the following:			
24 25 26	1. the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL–CIO, excluding a bargaining unit represented by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL–CIO Local 1859;			
27 28	2. <u>AFT Healthcare–Maryland, AFT, AFL–CIO Local 5197;</u> and			
29 30	3. the Maryland Professional Employees Council/AFT/AFL-CIO Local 6197].			
31	7-311.			
32 33 34	(j) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, for fiscal year 2007 and for each subsequent fiscal year, the Governor shall include in the budget bill an appropriation:			

1 2 3	(i) for fiscal year 2017, to the accumulation funds of the State Retirement and Pension System an amount, up to a maximum of \$50,000,000, that is equal to one—half of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June			
4	30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000;			
5	(ii) for fiscal year 2020:			
6	1. to the accumulation funds of the State Retirement and			
7	Pension System an amount, up to a maximum of \$50,000,000, that is equal to one-half of			
8 9	the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000; and			
10	2. to the Account equal to the amount by which the			
$\frac{11}{12}$	unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000, less the amount of the appropriation under item 1 of this item;			
13	(iii) for fiscal year 2021, to the Account in the amount of			
14	\$291,439,149; [and]			
15	(iv) for fiscal year 2022 [and each fiscal year thereafter], TO THE			
16	ACCOUNT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$103,763,517; AND			
17	(V) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR			
18	THEREAFTER:			
19	1. to the accumulation funds of the State Retirement and			
20	Pension System an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter			
21	of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the			
22	second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000;			
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40	2. to the Postretirement Health Benefits Trust Fund			
$\frac{26}{24}$	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to			
2425	established under § 34-101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the			
242526	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year			
2425	established under § 34-101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the			
24252627	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000; and			
 24 25 26 27 	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000; and 3. to the Account equal to the amount by which the			
24252627	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000; and			
24 25 26 27 28 29	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000; and 3. to the Account equal to the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year			
24 25 26 27 28 29 30	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000; and 3. to the Account equal to the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000, less the amount of the appropriations under items 1 and 2 of this item. 7–325. (a) (1) In each of fiscal years 2011 and 2012, the Governor shall include in the			
24 25 26 27 28 29 30	established under § 34–101 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article an amount, up to a maximum of \$25,000,000, that is equal to one-quarter of the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000; and 3. to the Account equal to the amount by which the unappropriated General Fund surplus as of June 30 of the second preceding fiscal year exceeds \$10,000,000, less the amount of the appropriations under items 1 and 2 of this item. 7–325.			

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- THROUGH 2021, the Governor shall include in the annual budget bill submitted to the General Assembly a General Fund appropriation for the Maryland State Arts Council in an amount not less than the amount of the General Fund appropriation for the Prior fiscal year, increased by not less than the percentage by which the projected total General Fund revenues for the upcoming fiscal year exceed the revised estimate of total General Fund revenues for the current fiscal year, as contained in the report of estimated State revenues submitted by the Board of Revenue Estimates to the Governor under § 6–106(b) of this article.
- 11 (3) IN FISCAL YEAR 2022, THE GOVERNOR SHALL INCLUDE IN THE
 12 ANNUAL BUDGET BILL SUBMITTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY A GENERAL FUND
 13 APPROPRIATION FOR THE MARYLAND STATE ARTS COUNCIL OF \$22.410.253.
- 14 (4) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER. 15 THE GOVERNOR SHALL INCLUDE IN THE ANNUAL BUDGET BILL SUBMITTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY A GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION FOR THE MARYLAND 16 STATE ARTS COUNCIL IN AN AMOUNT NOT LESS THAN THE AMOUNT OF THE 17 18 GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION FOR THE COUNCIL AS APPROVED IN THE STATE BUDGET AS ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE PRIOR FISCAL YEAR, 19 20 INCREASED BY ONE PERCENTAGE POINT LESS THAN THE PERCENTAGE BY WHICH THE PROJECTED TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUES FOR THE UPCOMING FISCAL 21 22 YEAR EXCEED THE REVISED ESTIMATE OF TOTAL CENERAL FUND REVENUES FOR 23 THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR. AS CONTAINED IN THE REPORT OF ESTIMATED STATE 24 REVENUES SUBMITTED BY THE BOARD OF REVENUE ESTIMATES TO THE GOVERNOR UNDER § 6-106(B) OF THIS ARTICLE. 25
- 26 (b) The Legislative Auditor has the authority to conduct a review or audit of any 27 recipient of a grant from the Maryland State Arts Council.
- 28 8-132.
- 29 (a) There is an Annuity Bond Fund.
- 30 (b) The Comptroller shall:
- 31 (1) credit to the Annuity Bond Fund any money appropriated in the State 32 budget to:
- 33 (i) meet the debt service requirements on State bonds; and
- 34 (ii) pay the costs of fiscal agents and other contracting parties 35 appointed by the State Treasurer under § 8–121 and 8–136 of this subtitle; and

1 $\frac{(2)}{(2)}$ as specified in the appropriation, use the money to meet the debt service 2 on the State bonds and pay fiscal agents and other contracting parties' costs. 3 (e) Any premium from the sale of State bonds transferred to the Annuity Bond Fund under § 8-125 of this subtitle may be used to [pay debt service on State bonds]: 4 5 (1) **PAY DEBT SERVICE ON STATE BONDS**: PAY FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS INCLUDED IN PREVIOUS 6 AUTHORIZATIONS OF STATE BONDS: AND 8 (3) REDUCE THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF THE ISSUANCE OF THE 9 CURRENT SALE OR OF A FUTURE SALE. 10 NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS (D) SECTION, FOR FISCAL YEARS 2021 THROUGH 2023, BOND PREMIUMS MAY BE USED 11 12 TO SUPPORT CAPITAL PROJECTS AUTHORIZED SUBSEQUENT TO THE ISSUANCE OF 13 THE BONDS. 10-501. 14 Subject to PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION AND subsection (b) 15 of this section, the Board of Public Works may grant to an individual erroneously convicted. 16 sentenced, and confined under State law for a crime the individual did not commit an 17 amount commensurate with the actual damages sustained by the individual, and may 18 grant a reasonable amount for any financial or other appropriate counseling for the 19 20 individual, due to the confinement. 21 In making a grant under paragraph (1) of this subsection, the Board of 22 Public Works shall use money in the General Emergency Fund or money that the Governor 23 provides in the annual budget. 24 (3)FOR ALL SETTLEMENTS ENTERED INTO BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2021, A LOCAL GOVERNMENT SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR 50% OF ANY 25 PAYMENTS OWED TO AN INDIVIDUAL ELIGIBLE UNDER THIS SUBTITLE. 26 An individual is eligible for a grant under subsection (a) of this section if: 27 (b) 28 (1)the individual has received from the Governor a full pardon stating that 29 the individual's conviction has been shown conclusively to be in error; or 30 the State's Attorney certifies that the individual's conviction was in

error under § 8-301 of the Criminal Procedure Article.

- 1 2–1303.
- 2 (a) After making the distributions required under §§ 2–1301 through 2–1302.1 of 3 this subtitle, the Comptroller shall pay:
- 4 (1) revenues from the hotel surcharge into the Dorchester County
- 5 Economic Development Fund established under § 10–130 of the Economic Development
- 6 Article:
- 7 (2) subject to [subsection] SUBSECTIONS (b) AND (C) of this section, to
- 8 The Blueprint for Maryland's Future Fund established under § 5–219 of the Education
- 9 Article, revenues collected and remitted by:
- 10 (i) a marketplace facilitator; or
- 11 (ii) a person that engages in the business of an out-of-state vendor
- 12 and that is required to collect and remit sales and use tax as specified in COMAR
- 13 03.06.01.33B(5); and
- 14 (3) the remaining sales and use tax revenue into the General Fund of the
- 15 State.
- 16 (b) For each fiscal year, the Comptroller shall pay into the General Fund of the
- 17 State the first \$100,000,000 of revenues collected and remitted by:
- 18 (1) a marketplace facilitator; or
- 19 (2) a person that engages in the business of an out-of-state vendor and
- 20 that is required to collect and remit sales and use tax as specified in COMAR
- 21 03.06.01.33B(5).
- (c) For fiscal year 2021, after the distribution made under
- 23 SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE COMPTROLLER SHALL TRANSFER TO THE
- 24 EDUCATION TRUST FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER § 9-1A-30 OF THE STATE
- 25 GOVERNMENT ARTICLE \$144,566,291 TO SUPPLEMENT PRIOR YEAR OBLIGATIONS
- 26 AND \$30,278,726 TO SUPPLEMENT THE SHORTFALL IN FISCAL YEAR 2021 OF THE
- 27 REVENUES COLLECTED AND REMITTED BY:
- 28 (1) A MARKETPLACE FACILITATOR; OR
- 29 (2) A PERSON THAT ENGAGES IN THE BUSINESS OF AN OUT-OF-STATE
- 30 VENDOR AND THAT IS REQUIRED TO COLLECT AND REMIT SALES AND USE TAX AS
- 31 SPECIFIED IN COMAR 03.06.01.33B(5).

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- (a) Each county shall provide the supervisor of the county with an office in the county seat or in Baltimore City, for the supervisor of Baltimore City. The Department is responsible for providing each supervisor with clerical staff, equipment, and other facilities and assistance that the Department considers necessary and as provided in the State budget.
- 7 (b) (1) Except as provided in [paragraph] PARAGRAPHS (2), (3), AND (4) of this subsection, each county and Baltimore City shall be responsible for reimbursing the State for the costs of administering the Department as follows:
- 10 (i) 50% of the costs of real property valuation;
- 11 (ii) 50% of the costs of business personal property valuation; and
- (iii) 50% of the costs of the Office of Information Technology within
 the Department, including any funding for departmental projects in the Major Information
 Technology Development Project Fund established under § 3A-309 of the State Finance
 and Procurement Article.
- 16 (2) For each of fiscal years 2012 and 2013, each county and Baltimore City
 17 shall be responsible for reimbursing the State 90% instead of 50% of the costs of
 18 administering the Department described in paragraph (1) of this subsection.
- 19 (3) FOR EACH OF FISCAL YEARS 2022 THROUGH 2025, EACH COUNTY
 20 AND BALTIMORE CITY SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR REIMBURSING THE STATE FOR
 21 THE COSTS OF ADMINISTERING THE DEPARTMENT AS FOLLOWS:
- 22 (I) 60% OF THE COSTS OF REAL PROPERTY VALUATION IN
 23 FISCAL YEAR 2022 INCREASING BY 10 PERCENTAGE POINTS IN EACH SUBSEQUENT
 24 FISCAL YEAR TO 90%;
- 25 (II) 60% OF THE COSTS OF BUSINESS PERSONAL PROPERTY
 26 VALUATION IN FISCAL YEAR 2022 INCREASING BY 10 PERCENTAGE POINTS IN EACH
 27 SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEAR TO 90%; AND
- 28 (III) 60% OF THE COSTS OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION
 29 TECHNOLOGY WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING ANY FUNDING FOR
 30 DEPARTMENTAL PROJECTS IN THE MAJOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
 31 DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER § 3A-309 OF THE STATE
 32 FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE, IN FISCAL YEAR 2022 INCREASING BY 10
 33 PERCENTAGE POINTS IN EACH SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEAR TO 90%.

1	(4) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER,
2	EACH COUNTY AND BALTIMORE CITY SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR REIMBURSING
3	THE STATE FOR THE COSTS OF ADMINISTERING THE DEPARTMENT AS FOLLOWS:
4	(I) 90% OF THE COSTS OF REAL PROPERTY VALUATION;
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$\frac{5}{6}$	(H) 90% OF THE COSTS OF BUSINESS PERSONAL PROPERTY VALUATION; AND
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7	(HI) 90% OF THE COSTS OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION
8	TECHNOLOGY WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING ANY FUNDING FOR
9	DEPARTMENTAL PROJECTS IN THE MAJOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
10 11	DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER § 3A-309 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT ARTICLE.
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12	(e) Costs under subsection (b) of this section shall be allocated among the counties
13	and Baltimore City as follows:
14	(1) costs under subsection (b)(1)(i) and (iii) of this section will be allocated
15	based on the number of real property accounts of a county or Baltimore City as a percentage
16	of the total number of real property accounts statewide as of July 1 of the preceding fiscal
17	year; and
18	(2) costs under subsection (b)(1)(ii) of this section will be allocated based on
19	the business personal property assessable base of a county or Baltimore City as a
20	percentage of the total business personal property assessable bases statewide as of July 1
21	of the preceding fiscal year.
22	(d) Each county and Baltimore City shall remit a quarterly payment to the
23	Comptroller for 25% of the jurisdiction's share of costs on the following dates:
24	(1) July 1;
25	(2) October 1;
26	(3) January 1; and
27	(4) April 1.
28	(e) The Comptroller may withhold a portion of a local income tax distribution of
29	a county or Baltimore City that fails to make timely payment in accordance with this
30	section.
31	<u>8–213.</u>
32	(a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

$\frac{1}{2}$	(2) "Agreement" means an agreement made under subsection (b) of this section.
3 4 5	(3) "Assessment rate index" means the percentage, if any, by which the amount of the State assessable base for the taxable year exceeds the average annual amount of the State assessable base in the immediately preceding assessment cycle.
6 7	(4) <u>"State assessable base" means the total assessable base, as determined</u> by the Supervisor of Assessments, of all real property in the State subject to taxation.
8 9 10	(b) The Department may make agreements with country clubs and golf courses that specify the manner of assessing the land of a country club or golf course. All agreements shall contain uniform provisions.
11 12 13 14	(c) (1) (i) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection and subject to subparagraphs (iii) and (iv) of this paragraph, the land of a country club or golf course that is actively used as a country club or golf course that meets the requirements of § 8–212 of this subtitle shall be valued:
15 16 17	1. at rates equivalent to land assessed under § 8–219 of this subtitle, if the land is subject to an agreement entered into before June 1, 2020, that has not been extended for a term of years beginning on or after June 1, 2020; or
18 19	2. at the rates specified under subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, if the land is subject to an agreement entered into:
20	A. on or after June 1, 2020; or
21 22	B. <u>before June 1, 2020, that is extended for a term of years</u> beginning on or after June 1, 2020.
23 24	(ii) The land of a country club or golf course subject to an agreement described under subparagraph [(i)2] (I)2A of this paragraph shall be valued[:
25 26	1.], for the [first taxable year after] DATE OF FINALITY NEXT FOLLOWING the DATE OF THE agreement [or extension takes effect], at the lesser of:
27	[A.] 1. market value per acre; or
28	[B.] 2. [\$2,000] \$5,000 per acre[;
29 30	<u>2.</u> <u>for the second taxable year after the agreement or extension takes effect, at the lesser of:</u>

market value per acre; or

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1	<u>B.</u>	\$3,500 per acre; or
2 3	<u>3.</u> takes effect, at the lesser of:	for the third taxable year after the agreement or extension
4	<u>A.</u>	market value per acre; or
5	<u>B.</u>	\$5,000 per acre].
6 7 8		rate of valuation required for the land of a country club or h (ii)3A of this paragraph shall be increased annually by an multiplying:
9	<u>1.</u>	the greater of:
10	<u>A.</u>	the valuation rate for the last assessment of the land; or
11	<u>B.</u>	market value per acre; and
12	<u>2.</u>	the assessment rate index.]
13 14 15 16	TO AN AGREEMENT DESCRIB	LAND OF A COUNTRY CLUB OR GOLF COURSE SUBJECT SED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I)2B OF THIS PARAGRAPH E ASSESSMENT CYCLE NEXT FOLLOWING THE DATE OF SER OF:
17	<u>1.</u>	MARKET VALUE PER ACRE; OR
18	<u>2.</u>	\$5,000 PER ACRE.
19 20 21 22	golf course under [subparagi	rate of valuation required for the land of a country club or raph (ii)3B] SUBPARAGRAPHS (II)2 AND (III)2 of this annually] TRIENNIALLY by an amount equal to the product
23	<u>1.</u>	the greater of:
24	<u>A.</u>	the valuation rate for the last assessment of the land; or
25	<u>B.</u>	\$5,000 per acre; and
26	<u>2.</u>	the assessment rate index.
27 28 29	of § 8–212 of this subtitle has a	of a country club or golf course that meets the requirements greater market value than its value when used as a country all also be assessed on the basis of the greater value.

1 2 3	(3) Except as provided under § 8–216 of this subtitle, the property tax payable by a country club or golf course under this section is based on the assessment of the land under paragraph (1) of this subsection.
4 5 6	(4) If an assessment is made on the greater value under paragraph (2) of this subsection, the assessment records for the country club or golf course shall record the assessment under paragraphs (1) and (2) of this subsection.
7 8	(5) Any assessment of the land of a country club or golf course under this section is effective on the date of finality next following the date of an agreement.
9 10	(d) (1) An agreement shall be for at least 10 consecutive years or for a longer period as determined by the country club or golf course and the Department.
11 12	(2) An agreement may be extended, but only in increments of at least 5 years.
13	13–209.
14 15 16 17	(d) Subject to subsections (d-1) and (e) of this section, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2002 and for each subsequent fiscal year, the balance of the revenue in the special fund, not required under subsection (b) of this section and not allocated to the General Fund under subsection (c)(1) of this section shall be allocated in the State budget as follows:
18 19	(1) (i) 75.15% for the purposes specified in Title 5, Subtitle 9 of the Natural Resources Article (Program Open Space); and
20 21	(ii) an additional 1% for Program Open Space, for land acquisition purposes as specified in § 5–903(a)(2) of the Natural Resources Article;
22 23	$\frac{(2)}{\$}$ 17.05% for the Agricultural Land Preservation Fund established under $\frac{\$}{\$}$ 2–505 of the Agriculture Article;
24 25	(3) 5% for the Rural Legacy Program established under § 5–9A–01 of the Natural Resources Article; and
26 27	(4) 1.8% for the Heritage Conservation Fund established under § 5–1501 of the Natural Resources Article.
28 29 30	(d-1) (1) In this subsection, "eligible purpose" means a purpose, program, or fund to which revenue in the special fund is required to be allocated under subsection (d) of this section.

(2) For any [fiscal year beginning on or after July 1, 2010, but before July 1, 2013, for] OF THE-FISCAL YEARS 2011, 2012, 2013, AND 2022 IN-which funding is

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- provided for an eligible purpose through the State Consolidated Capital Bond Funding
 Program or other bond enabling act:
 - (i) from the balance of the special fund, before the allocations under subsection (d) of this section are made, an amount shall be allocated to the General Fund of the State equal to the total amount of funding provided for eligible purposes through the bond enabling act: and
 - (ii) except as otherwise expressly provided under the bond enabling act through which the funding is provided, the allocations provided under subsection (d) of this section shall be adjusted to reduce the amount that would otherwise be allocated for each eligible purpose by the amount of funding provided for that purpose under the bond enabling act.
- 12 (3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a transfer under this
 13 subsection may not be taken into account for purposes of determining any allocation or
 14 appropriation required under subsection (f) or (g) of this section.
- 15 (g) (2) (i) 1. The Governor shall include in the annual budget bill for 16 fiscal year 2021 a General Fund appropriation to the special fund in the amount of \$5,690,501.
- 18 2. The Governor shall include in each of the annual budget 19 bills for fiscal years **\{**2022 and **\{**2023 **AND 2024**} a General Fund appropriation to the special 20 fund in the amount of \\$12,500,000.
- 3. The Governor shall include in the annual budget bill for fiscal year **\{2024\} \frac{2025}{2025}** a General Fund appropriation to the special fund in the amount of \(\) \\$6,809,499.
- 24 (ii) The appropriations required under subparagraph (i) of this 25 paragraph:
- 1. cumulatively represent reimbursement for 50% of the cumulative amount of any appropriation or transfer from the special fund to the General Fund for fiscal year 2006;
- 29 are not subject to the provisions of subsections (a), (b), (c), 30 and (f) of this section:
- 31 3. shall be allocated as provided in subsection (d) of this section and § 5–903 of the Natural Resources Article; and
- 33 4. shall be reduced by the amount of any appropriation from the General Fund to the special fund that:

$\frac{1}{2}$	and	A.	exceeds the required appropriation under this paragraph;
3 4	this paragraph.	В.	is identified as an appropriation for reimbursement under
5 6 7 8 9 10	appropriation to the spece 2028 a General Fund appark development and the	cial fur opropri e critic	The Governor shall include in each of the annual budget eal years [2022] 2023 through [2026] 2027 a General Fund and in the amount of \$6,000,000 and for fiscal year [2027] tation to the special fund in the amount of \$4,000,000 for eal maintenance of State projects located on lands managed Resources for public purposes.
11 12 13 14 15	THE SPECIAL FUND MAINTENANCE OF ST	IN TI ATE I	THE GOVERNOR SHALL INCLUDE IN THE ANNUAL AR 2022 ONLY A GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION TO HE AMOUNT OF \$21,930,475 FOR THE CRITICAL PROJECTS LOCATED ON LANDS MANAGED BY THE RESOURCES FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES.
16 17	(ii) paragraph:	The a	appropriations required under subparagraph (i) of this
18 19 20	cumulative amount of an Fund for fiscal year 2006		represent reimbursement for 44.4% 62.1% of the copriation or transfer from the special fund to the General
21 22	and (f) of this section;	2.	are not subject to the provisions of subsections (a), (b), (c),
23 24 25	appropriated under sul \$55,930,475; and	3. bparag	shall be made until the cumulative total amount graph (i) of this paragraph is equal to \$40,000,000
26 27	the General Fund to the s	4. special	shall be reduced by the amount of any appropriation from fund that:
28		A.	exceeds the required appropriation under this paragraph;
29 30	this paragraph; and	В.	is identified as an appropriation for reimbursement under
31 32 33 34		_	supplements rather than supplants the Department of the critical maintenance of State projects on State lands, I maintenance budget of the 10 years preceding the

1 2 3 4	which equals the cumul	he Ger lative a	ect to subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, the Governor neral Fund to the special fund \$152,165,700 \$136,235,225, amount of the appropriations or transfers from the special scal years 2016, 2017, and 2018, less \$72,000,000.
5	(ii)	The	Governor shall appropriate at least:
6		1.	[\$25,360,950 \$9,430,475 on or before June 30, 2022;
7		2.	an additional \$50,721,900 on or before June 30, 2026;
8		{ 3. } €	2 -an additional \$50,721,900 on or before June 30, 2030; and
9 10	June 30, [2031] 2032 .	{ 4. } ₹	3. an additional { \$25,360,950 } \$50,721,900 on or before
11 12	(iii) this paragraph:	The	appropriations required under subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of
13 14 15	any appropriation or transfer from the special fund to the General Fund for fiscal years		
16 17	and (f) of this section;	2.	are not subject to the provisions of subsections (a), (b), (c),
18 19	section and § 5–903 of th	3. ne Nati	shall be allocated as provided in subsection (d) of this ural Resources Article;
20 21 22 23		er from	shall be made until the cumulative total appropriated i) of this paragraph is equal to the cumulative amount of any the special fund to the General Fund for fiscal years 2016, 00; and
24 25	the General Fund to the	5. specia	shall be reduced by the amount of any appropriation from l fund that:
26 27	and	A.	exceeds the required appropriation under this paragraph;
28 29	this paragraph.	В.	is identified as an appropriation for reimbursement under
30			Article - Transportation

1	(a) For fiscal year 2020, the Governor shall include in the State budget an
2	appropriation from the Transportation Trust Fund for the operation of the Administration
3	that is equal to the appropriation for the operation of the Administration in the fiscal year
4	2019 State budget as introduced, increased by at least 4.4%.
	

(b) For [each of fiscal years] FISCAL YEAR 2021 [and 2022], the Governor shall include in the State budget an appropriation from the Transportation Trust Fund for the operation of the Administration that is equal to the appropriation for the operation of the Administration in the State budget for the immediately preceding fiscal year, increased by at least 4.4%.

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- 10 <u>(C) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022, THE GOVERNOR SHALL INCLUDE IN THE STATE</u>
 11 <u>BUDGET AN APPROPRIATION FROM THE TRANSPORTATION TRUST FUND FOR THE</u>
 12 <u>OPERATION OF THE ADMINISTRATION THAT MAY NOT BE LESS THAN THE FISCAL</u>
 13 YEAR 2021 APPROPRIATION FOR THE OPERATION OF THE ADMINISTRATION.
- 14 **[(c)] (D)** (1) For each of fiscal years 2020 through 2022, the Governor shall include in the State budget an appropriation for the capital needs of the Administration of at least \$29,100,000 from the revenues available for the State capital program in the Transportation Trust Fund.
- 18 (2) The appropriation required under paragraph (1) of this subsection may 19 not supplant any other capital funding otherwise available for the Administration.
- Chapter 397 of the Acts of 2011, as amended by Chapter 425 of the Acts of 2013,
 Chapter 464 of the Acts of 2014, Chapter 489 of the Acts of 2015, Chapter 23 of
 the Acts of 2017, Chapter 10 of the Acts of 2018, Chapter 16 of the Acts of 2019,
 and Chapter 538 of the Acts of 2020
- 24 SECTION 16. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, in addition to any other 25 revenue generated under § 19–214 of the Health – General Article, as amended by this Act:
- 26 (c) (1) For fiscal year 2015 and 2016, the Commission and the Maryland 27 Department of Health shall adopt policies that will provide up to \$389,825,000 in special 28 fund revenues from hospital assessment and remittance revenue.
- 29 (2) For fiscal year 2017, the Governor shall reduce the budgeted Medicaid 30 Deficit Assessment by \$25,000,000 over the assessment level for the prior year.
- 31 (3) For fiscal year 2018, the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment shall be 32 \$364,825,000.
- 33 (4) For fiscal year 2019, the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment shall be 34 \$334,825,000.

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- 1 (5) For fiscal year 2020, the budgeted Medicaid Deficit Assessment shall be \$309.825.000.
- 3 (6) For fiscal year 2021 and each fiscal year thereafter, the budgeted 4 Medicaid Deficit Assessment shall be [\$294,825,000] \$329,825,000.
- 5 (7) To the extent that the Commission takes other actions that reduce 6 Medicaid costs, those savings shall also be used to reduce the budgeted Medicaid Deficit 7 Assessment.
- 8 (8) To the maximum extent possible, the Commission and the Maryland 9 Department of Health shall adopt policies that preserve the State's Medicare waiver.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, on or before June 30, 2021, the Governor may transfer to the General Fund \$30,000,000 from the reserve account established by the State to pay unemployment compensation benefits for State employees.
- SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, for fiscal year 2022, payments to providers with rates set by the Interagency Rates Committee under § 8–417 of the Education Article may not increase by more than 4% over the rates in effect on December 31, 2020 January 1, 2021.
- SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, on or before June 30, 2022, the Governor may transfer to the Office of Controlled Substances Administration within the Maryland Department of Health \$500,000 of the fund balance in the State Board of Pharmacy Fund established under \$12-206 of the Health Occupations Article.
 - SECTION 5. 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, on or before June 30, 2022, the Governor may transfer to the Behavioral Health Administration within the Maryland Department of Health \$2,000,000 \$1,500,000 of the fund balance in the State Board of Professional Counselors and Therapists Fund established under § 17–206 of the Health Occupations Article.
- SECTION 6. 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, on or before June 30, 2022, the Governor may transfer to the Behavioral Health Administration within the Maryland Department of Health \$6,000,000 \$3,000,000 \$2,000,000 of the fund balance in the Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission Fund established under § 13–3303 of the Health Occupations Article.
 - SECTION 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law under § 2–606 of the Tax General Article:
 - (a) The Maryland Department of Health and other appropriate State agencies are authorized to temporarily charge expenditures related to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) response that are eligible for reimbursement from the Federal Emergency

- 1 Management Agency's Public Assistance process to the Local Reserve Account established 2 to comply with § 2-606 of the Tax - General Article.
- 3 (b) Once reimbursement is received from the Federal Emergency Management
 4 Agency's Public Assistance process, the revenue shall be used to offset the eligible
 5 expenditures authorized under subsection (a) of this section to reimburse the Local Reserve
 6 Account.
- 7 (c) Any charges against the Local Reserve Account that are not fully reimbursed 8 under subsection (b) of this section shall be reimbursed by the General Fund at the 9 Maryland General Assembly session following a determination by the Federal Emergency 10 Management Agency to ensure the Local Reserve Account is fully reimbursed for the 11 temporary charges made under subsection (a) of this section.
- 12 (d) This provision shall be in effect until June 30, 2022, or until the Federal
 13 Emergency Management Agency has made a final determination on all expenditures that
 14 are temporarily charged under subsection (a) of this section. On the effective date of this
 15 Act, the Department of Budget and Management may appropriate these funds through the
 16 budget amendment process, as needed.
- 17 <u>SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other</u> 18 <u>provision of law under § 2–606 of the Tax – General Article:</u>
- 19 (a) The Maryland Department of Health and other appropriate State agencies are
 20 authorized to temporarily charge expenditures related to the Coronavirus Disease 2019
 21 (COVID-19) response that are eligible for reimbursement from the Federal Emergency
 22 Management Agency's Public Assistance process to the Local Reserve Account established to
 23 comply with § 2-606 of the Tax General Article.
- 24 <u>(b)</u> Once reimbursement is received from the Federal Emergency Management 25 Agency's Public Assistance process, the revenue shall be used to offset the eligible 26 expenditures authorized under subsection (a) of this section to reimburse the Local Reserve 27 Account.
- 28 (c) Any charges against the Local Reserve Account that are not fully reimbursed
 29 under subsection (b) of this section shall be reimbursed by the General Fund at the Maryland
 30 General Assembly session following a determination by the Federal Emergency Management
 31 Agency to ensure the Local Reserve Account is fully reimbursed for the temporary charges
 32 made under subsection (a) of this section.
- 33 (d) This provision shall be in effect until June 30, 2022, or until the Federal
 34 Emergency Management Agency has made a final determination on all expenditures that
 35 are temporarily charged under subsection (a) of this section. On the effective date of this Act,
 36 the Department of Budget and Management may appropriate these funds through the budget
 37 amendment process, as needed.

SECTION 8. 6. 7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, due to public health precautions required by the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, the Governor may print a reduced number of fiscal year 2022 budget books for distribution to the Maryland General Assembly and the Department of Legislative Services.

SECTION 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, if the Office of the Attorney General does not transfer \$10,000,000 from the Consumer Protection Recoveries to the General Fund on or before May 1, 2022, the Comptroller shall transfer \$10,000,000 from the Consumer Protection Recoveries to the General Fund.

SECTION <u>10.</u> <u>7.</u> <u>8.</u> AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, a one–time education aid grant for a county for fiscal year 2022 authorized under § 5–219(f) of the Education Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, is contingent on the county's appropriation of local funds to the county board of education operating budget for fiscal year 2022 exceeding the local appropriation for fiscal year 2021.

SECTION 11. 8. 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

- (a) Except for individuals whose retirement allowance is subject to a reduction as provided under § 22–406(c)(1)(iii) and (3) or § 23–407(c)(1)(iii) and (3) of the State Personnel and Pensions Article, the reduction of a retirement allowance under § 22–406 or § 23–407 of the State Personnel and Pensions Article does not apply to:
- 21 (1) an individual who was previously employed by the Maryland 22 Department of Health, retired, and is rehired by the Maryland Department of Health for a 23 period not to exceed 2 years to assist in the administration of federally funded grants 24 related to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID–19) pandemic; and
 - (2) an individual who was previously employed by the Maryland Department of Labor, retired, and is rehired by the Maryland Department of Labor for a period not to exceed 2 years within the Division of Unemployment Insurance to assist with the administration of benefits related to the COVID–19 pandemic.
- 29 (b) (1) The provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall be construed to 30 apply retroactively to January 1, 2020.
- 31 (2) The provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall terminate and be of 32 no effect after December 31, 2021.

SECTION 12. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, employees in positions at Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services facilities that are closed effective June 30, 2021, shall be transferred to existing vacancies in comparable job classifications within other Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services facilities. These transfers shall be effective not later than July 1, 2021, and shall be made without any loss of status, compensation, or benefits.

- SECTION 10. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, employees in positions at Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services facilities that are closed effective June 30, 2021, shall be transferred to existing vacancies in comparable job classifications within other Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services facilities. These transfers shall be effective not later than July 1, 2021, and shall be made without any loss of status, compensation, or benefits.
- SECTION 9. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, on or before June 30, 2022, the Governor may transfer to the Behavioral Health Administration within the Maryland Department of Health \$700,000 of the fund balance in the State Board of Examiners for Psychologists Fund established under \$11 18-207 of the Health Occupations Article.
- SECTION 10. 11. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, on or before June 30, 2021, the Governor may transfer to the General Fund \$5,000,000 from the Maryland Health Care Provider Rate Stabilization Fund established under § 19–802 of the Insurance Article.
- SECTION 11. 12. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before June 30, 2021, the \$235,000 identified in the fiscal year 2020 closeout audit as being improperly encumbered by Headquarters (R00A01) within the Maryland State Department of Education shall revert to the General Fund.
- 20 <u>SECTION 12. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED</u>, That, notwithstanding any other 21 provision of law, on or before June 30, 2022, the Governor may transfer to the General Fund 22 \$1,000,000 from the Charlotte Hall Veterans Home Fund established under § 9-912.2 of 23 the State Government Article.
- SECTION 13. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended appropriation for Statewide Expenses (F10A02.08) within the Department of Budget and Management, that was included in the fiscal year 2021 operating budget (Chapter 19 of the Acts of 2020) is reduced by \$1,784,036 in general funds.
- SECTION 14. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended appropriation for the Medicaid Behavioral Health Provider Reimbursement Program (M00Q01.10) within the Maryland Department of Health, that was included in the fiscal year 2020 operating budget (Chapter 565 of the Acts of 2019) is reduced by \$5,000,000 in general funds.
- 33 SECTION 15. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the unexpended appropriation for Aid to Education, Nonpublic Placements Program (R00A02.07) within the Maryland State Department of Education, that was included in the fiscal year 2020 operating budget (Chapter 565 of the Acts of 2019) is reduced by \$7,500,000 in general funds.

1	(a) Subject to subsection (b) of this section, on or before October 1, 2021, the
2	Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission shall transfer to the General
3	Fund \$5,000,000 from the balance of funds collected in Prince George's County in
4	accordance with § 18–304(b) of the Land Use Article.

- (b) The amount of money transferred under this section:
- 6 (1) may not exceed the lesser of \$5,000,000 or the amount remaining from
 7 the balance of funds collected after all fiscal year 2022 debt service obligations are satisfied;
 8 and
- 9 (2) may not result in a projected deficit in the balance of funds collected.
- SECTION $\frac{13}{12}$ AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2021.